

OUR DAILY BREAD Sliced Thin by The Editor Alex. M. Washburn

Schools Should Keep Eye on Assessor and Equalization Board

Here is a significant parallel in last Saturday's school elections.

Hope voters turned down by nearly 2 to 1 a proposal to increase the school property tax 5 mills, from 35 to 40. In Eldorado the voters were faced with an increase of 6 mills, from 38 to 44, and they beat it by 1,682 to 1,020.

Also, El Dorado took care of Lee Roy Beasley, who as chairman of the Governor's Advisory committee on Education might be called the spiritual godfather of the 3% sales tax. He ran for the school board and was beaten.

The parallel is this: Union and Hempstead counties are among the dozen or so out of 75 which have made an effort to appraise and reassess property for local tax purposes. Both counties set up special funds and hired appraisers. Because Union was ahead of us in this program you will recall that we invited one of their schoolmen up here when we started the Hempstead program.

It is fair comment, therefore, to presume that citizens operating in similar environments and confronted by almost identical tax proposals reached the same conclusion.

The conclusion was, that after launching the assessment reform the school managers were diverted to the opposite road — looking to the immediate cash of higher millage rates on existing assessments, and depending on the 3% sales tax promises of the politically-managed GACE. . . either of which courses meant disaster for the reassessment program.

That the reassessment program has definitely slowed down is a fact — both state-wide and locally. The Arkansas Recorder, Little Rock, of March 15, reports that the state-wide ratio of property assessments to actual property sales in 1936 was exactly the same as in 1935 — 12.3%. Hempstead county's ratio rose slightly, from 14.51% in 1935 to 16.51% in 1936 — but certainly not getting on very fast toward the required 20% goal. The statistics are from the seventh survey made for public utilities by the Missouri-Arkansas Association of Tax Representatives.

Without an adequate property assessment base the public schools can have neither sufficient income for today nor security for tomorrow. My quarrel with the political leadership of Arkansas' public schools is that it beguiles the rank-and-file with "quick success" stories from other states but studiously avoids comparing property assessments. I was struck by this National Education Association report on Page 234 of the 1936-37 Arkansas Almanac. Says the Almanac:

"The NEA report showed that state aid to public schools in Arkansas for 1934-35 totaled more than that of 17 other states, but local revenues exceed totals of only 8 other states."

Arkansas' trouble, of course, is that it is cursed with an elective and undermanned tax assessor's office. It is hurting the schools and killing off city and county government.

Nevertheless, the elective assessor is likely to do a better job if he is offered assistance and protection by the massed forces of the schools and the PTA's. One thing that would certainly help would be the placing of a representative of the schools or the PTA's in the office through the assessing period.

Why not approach the tax assessor with this offer? It's wrong to expect one elective official to stick his neck out and alone bear the brunt of raising assessments.

Ike May Ask Power to Curb Credit Buying

By STERLING F. GREEN

WASHINGTON (AP) — Speculation sharpened today on whether President Eisenhower will ask Congress for standby powers to regulate consumer installment credit.

The odds seemed to be against it, for interest has been lukewarm lately. But it was spotlighted by the issuance yesterday of a massive study prepared at Eisenhower's request by the staff of the Federal Reserve Board.

The researchers found that easy-payment buying of autos and consumer goods tends to be unwise. The major influence, they said, has been to add fuel to booms, it has less often been an aggravating factor during recessions.

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The FBI staff found that the credit structure though carrying a record \$1.1 billion dollars of installment debt, is less likely than in 1929 to collapse during a recession into defaults, foreclosures and repossessions. It nevertheless cautioned:

"A good parent is one who is known by the company he keeps. A good citizen is one who is known by the company he keeps."

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Egypt's Policy Brings Hope for Settlement

By JACK BEL

WASHINGTON (AP) — Egypt's new proposals for operation of the Suez Canal led to cautious forecasts among some senators today that the way may be opening toward a settlement of the Middle East crisis.

But they added that Egypt must show good faith in working to solve other problems in the area.

First reaction from the State Department was that the Egyptian plan for running the waterway fell short of being satisfactory.

While this view was shared by some members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Senators Humphrey (D-Min.), Mansfield (D-Mont.) and Sparkman (D-Ala.) said they feel the proposals of President Gamal Abdel Nasser offer some hope as a possible basis of settlement.

Sen. Hickenlooper (R-Iowa), another foreign relations committee member, said he regards the Egyptian plan as unsatisfactory. But he added that it ought to be explored very thoroughly by this government.

In a 250-word memorandum, the Egyptian government said it will respect the letter and spirit of the 1888 agreement opening the canal to international traffic. Nothing was said of Israel, but Egypt has contended that Israel is an enemy nation and not eligible under the 1888 agreement.

The memorandum called for collection of tolls by Egypt or its agent, diversion of some of the money to a canal improvement fund and association and arbitration of claims growing out of nationalization of the waterway.

The memorandum ignored, but did not directly reject, a proposal that half the tolls be paid to an independent group such as the World Bank ending settlement of the claims.

Cotton Acre Measurement Is Available

Hempstead County farmers can arrange for official measurement of their 1937 cotton and peanut acreage allotments or acreage Reserve Conservation Reserve Areas prior to planting time, the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation announced this week.

To get the premeasurement service, which is being provided on a cost basis, the farmer must file a written request with the County ASC office prior to March 29 says Mr. H. B. Gilbert, Chairman of the Committee.

The rate to be charged for the service in Hempstead County has been established at \$6.00 per farm plus 80 cents per acre for the first 80 acres, plus 10 cents per acre for all acreage in excess of 80 acres, plus \$1.00 for each plot or subdivision, and payment based on this rate must be made at the time the request for the measurement is filed.

"The premeasurement is purely optional," says Mr. Gilbert, "and is offered as a service to growers who prefer to have an official measurement to use as a planting guide."

The Chairman explains that all allotment crop acreage in the county will be measured as soon as possible after planting time to determine compliance with the Acreage Allotment . . . Marketing Quota Program. When compliance is checked, the farm will be considered to be within the farm acreage allotment if the crop is planted within the premeasured area.

Cheeta Winds Up to 45 MPH in 2 Seconds

Memphis Commercial Appeal

WASHINGTON, March 18 — Ever since the dawn of human race, men and animals have been running from and after each other. The odds haven't improved. One of man's finest achievements on foot is running the mile in less than four minutes, an average speed of about 15 miles an hour. Compared to the grand champions of track and field, home sapiens hardly gets away from the starting line.

The cheetah, or hunting leopard, accelerates to a speed of 45 miles in two seconds — a feat that man can scarcely match in his fastest racing car. And when the cheetah really goes into high gear, it proceeds at some 70 mph — a speed that would interest all but the most patient politician on modern expressways.

Tamed As Hunter

It is small wonder that Indians tame the amiable cheetah as a hunting companion. The long-legged cat tires in 400 or 500 yards, however, and depends upon outpacing its quarry in the first lightning thrust.

Such sprinters as the Mongolian gazelle combine extreme speed with endurance. Explorer Roy Chapman Andrews reported clocking these gazelles at 60 miles an hour in the Gobi. One was trailed by car for 20 minutes at an average pace of 40 mph.

"Then he quit because he was so darned surprised that anything on earth could keep up with him," Dr. Andrews said. "When we reached him he was squatting. Continued on Page Four

Bill of Local Representative Is Approved



City Council Flatly Rejects Privilege Tax

Hope City Council flatly rejected a privilege tax proposal, serving notice that public utility franchise rates are going up and passed an ordinance officially setting up a garbage collection fee increase.

Mayor H. M. Olsen called on the group to pass a privilege tax and the measure met with a very cold reception except for some "heh" arguments. The Mayor used as his main argument for the tax the fire department, which he insisted, had to have new equipment in order to keep the city in its present insurance class.

This didn't sway the council which firmly rejected the proposal. The finance committee flatly told the Mayor that it had promised no other tax increase this year and wouldn't support any.

During the discussion it was pointed out that the best way for the city to raise money was to help, in every way possible, any move to get all property on the tax books and equalize assessments. This idea got quick support and the privilege tax proposal fell by the wayside.

Although the increased garbage collection fee has been in force for some time the Council made it official last night passing an ordinance setting up the measure. A second ordinance fixing a sewage tax was read for the first time. The measure is expected to be passed at the next meeting.

The Finance committee was instructed to contact all public utilities operating in the city and negotiate an increase in franchise fees.

The Council reaffirmed its recent resolution which requires that all persons reaching the age of 65 must be retired from city employment.

Continued payment of \$500 monthly on Third District Livestock Show notes was approved by the Council, through October 1.

In other action the group hired Bob Porter as an extra policeman to work during the vacation period; voted to repair the jogging machine at a cost of \$550 and purchased hose for the machine which will cost \$150; agreed to order \$412 worth of insecticide for the machines; gave Polo Martin the authority of a policeman, at no extra pay at Municipal Air port; and accepted the Yerger sewer district as a part of the city's system.

Blevins PTA to Hear Local Attorney

Royce Weisenberger Hope attorney, will be the guest speaker at the March 21 meeting of Blevins PTA in Blevins High School Auditorium. The program will be developed around the theme "Juvenile Protection."

Also the program will include special music by Blevins students.

Representative Talbot Field, Jr., of Hope, left, and Senator Gene Lee of Prescott watch Governor Faubus sign Act 258 by which he agreed to encourage exploration for oil in Arkansas and to provide certain benefits to the discoverer. The bill was House Bill 138 and was handled in the Senate by Senator Lee.

Sheriff Tells Kiwanians Assessment Problems

Hempstead county property assessments and taxes were discussed by Sheriff Jimmy Cook before Hope Kiwanis club yesterday and in essence, he said that as the millage rate goes up, the assessments go down, and as assessments fall, taxes decline.

The overall property assessment in Hempstead county at present the sheriff estimated. The law says will average from 10 to 15 percent. Property should be assessed at 20 percent of value.

Property Declines
In the year 1928, property assessments in this county totaled \$9,576,000. Twenty-eight years later and with an inflated dollar to ride on, assessments in this county were \$10,335,000 — less than one million in 28 years.

Land in Free Ride
"I don't know of any land assessed at lower than three dollars per acre, and I don't recall any land assessed at more than five dollars per acre," the sheriff said.

Chickens Not Booked
Despite the fact that Hempstead county raises between a million and a half to two million chickens a year, there's not a single rooster nor hen on the tax books. . . "and I would estimate that only about 25 percent of all cattle are actually on the books," declared the sheriff.

In regard to "hidden wealth," the sheriff revealed that only one person in Hempstead county, as far as he knew, assessed his personal savings account, and that person is Guy E. Basye, of Hope.

Veteran Pay
"The greatest single group paying their share of taxes percentage-wise are World War II veterans who came back from the war and purchased GI homes. They are paying the 20 percent assessment rate because the mortgage books were consulted and assessments were derived from those books."

"The homes in built-up communities of Hempstead county, as a general rule, are on the tax books at a low figure. You can find some of these homes assessed at \$40 to \$50, and thus the tax derived from these kind of assessments are very low in proportion to real value."

"About two years ago, personal property assessments in the county were raised about \$300,000 — but this gain is now falling instead of climbing."

"Assessments on downtown Hope property and stocks of merchandise has been generally stable for the past two years after a tax hike in recent years," the sheriff declared.

A new system of keeping up with property assessments is being developed by the sheriff's office.

Police picked up four runaways here yesterday and turned them over to Murfreesboro authorities. . . the two boys were 19 and 10 years old and the two girls were only 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl O'Neal will arrive home Thursday morning from St. Louis where Mr. O'Neal successfully underwent surgery in Barnes Hospital.

DeAnn Civic Club will have a benefit cake sale Friday, March 22, at 7:30 p. m. . . money will benefit the Club House.

J. E. Redden, head of the journalism department at Ouachita College will be guest speaker at the annual Quill and Scroll banquet at Hope High School March 25.

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Teamster Officer Faces Charge of Bribery

By HERBERT FOSTER AND JOHN A. GOLDSMITH

WASHINGTON (UP) — West Coast Teamsters Chief Frank W. Brewster testified today he received about \$5,000 a year from his unions insurance broker. But he swore it was not a commission. He said he got the money for taking care of race horses jointly owned by him and the broker.

Brewster told the Senate Labor Rackets committee he received stock valued at about \$5,000 a year in 1931-33 from George Newell, his partner in the Breal stables. He said Newell receives \$800,000 a year in brokerage fees for handling health and welfare insurance for the Teamsters.

Brewster, chairman of the Western Conference of Teamsters, said his payments from Newell had nothing to do with the fact that Newell gets the union's insurance business.

Brewster had testified earlier that the Teamsters Union contributed money to the 1934 campaign of California Gov. Goodwin J. Knight and later got the man of its choice appointed San Francisco port examiner.

By KARL R. BAUMAN
WASHINGTON (AP) — James R. (Jimmy) Hoffa, bounce little big shot of the Teamsters Union, today faced an indictment accusing him of conspiring and bribing to get secrets of the Senate's racket probes.

Named codefendant with the 44-year-old Hoffa is Hyman I. Fischbach, Miami attorney who in the past has served as counsel to congressional investigating committees.

Chairman McClellan (D-Ark) of Continued on Page Four

Ike, MacMillan in Bermuda for Mid-East Talks

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
TUCKERS TOWN, Bermuda (AP) — British Prime Minister Harold Macmillan flew into Bermuda today for urgent talks with President Eisenhower on the Middle East crisis and half a dozen other world issues.

Eisenhower, winding up a weeks health cruise on the guided missile cruiser Canberra, was due here six hours later.

Macmillan's big double-decked Stratocruiser from London touched down at Bermuda at 8:59 a.m.

Two minutes later Macmillan stepped from the BOACs Cascoquin and received the welcome of Lt. Gen. Sir John Woodall, British governor of these islands in the mid-Atlantic.

Within 15 minutes after landing Macmillan set out over Bermuda winding roads for the Mid-Ocean Club where he and Eisenhower and their foreign ministers will do their talking for the next four days.

One of their chief purposes is to try to lay some practical basis for rebuilding the British-American partnership which has been a cornerstone of the free world alliance since the end of World War I.

Diplomats said top priority in the talks had to go to the most urgent aspects of the Middle East crisis involving Israel and Egypt.

Macmillan cast expected to ask the President to exert more vigorous aid and determine the American leadership. The British were reported to feel that American policy has been lacking in decisiveness and depended too heavily on the United Nations.

A review of Western relations with Russia, the prospects for further freedom pressures in Eastern Europe, the strength of the North Atlantic Alliance and possibility of modifying the trade embargo with Red China are set for debate.

The British are reported to feel that the U.S. government, having prevailed on Israel to withdraw its troops is honor bound to support Israel actively in the present stage of the contest with Egypt. Before leaving London Macmillan made clear his prime purpose will be to restore understanding and friendship with the United States.

The Weather

Experiment Station report for 24-hours ending at 7 a. m. Wednesday, High 67, Low 42; Total March precipitation, 3.13 inches. Total precipitation for year 16.77 inches.

ARKANSAS — Cloudy, rain scattered thundershowers tonight, Thursday and in extreme west, this afternoon; slowly rising temperatures tonight Thursday. Low-est tonight 38-48.

EXTENDED FORECAST
Arkansas — (Wednesday-Monday) — Temperatures will average near or slightly above normal. Normal maximum 66, normal minimum 44. Mostly minor day to day changes. Precipitation moderate to heavy in showers, mainly about Thursday and Sunday.

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All Around Town

By The Star Staff

Hope City Council rejected a privilege tax proposal last night but was very receptive to a proposal that the city get behind a property tax equalization plan. . . in its present mood citizens are just assured that no further tax increase will be forthcoming this year. . . although the city government insists it is vitally short of money, and it is, the fact remains that in the two and a half months in which funds have been curtailed the city has operated, without a single money emergency. . . and during this time the garbage tax increase has been in effect only a month and the sewage tax is yet to come, although approved some time ago.

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Results of Meet Is What Counts

By JAMES MARLOW
Associated Press News Analyst

WASHINGTON (AP)—It's not what they say in the next few days but what they do afterwards that counts.

President Eisenhower and British Prime Minister Macmillan met in Bermuda tomorrow. Eisenhower and former Prime Minister Eden met here 13 months ago.

At the end of the conference Eisenhower and Macmillan will issue a statement, just as Eisenhower and Eden did at the end of theirs. Almost certainly it will stress American-British unity, just as Eisenhower and Eden said. Consensus of the unity of our two countries.

Ironically they went on to say that if anyone began a war in the Middle East, which was tense at the time, they'd consult on how to stop it.

That was said on Feb. 1, 1956, when Eisenhower and Eden were thinking of the only kind of war which seemed possible at the time: an Arab-Israeli war.

But within 10 months Britain, France and Israel began the war with their invasion of Egypt, and

American-British unity was literally shot to pieces.

Instead of conferring with Britain on how to stop somebody else's shooting, this country joined the United Nations in demanding that Britain, France and Israel stop.

The invasion of Egypt and the American stand against its friends caused a split between this country and Britain which hasn't been healed yet.

Trying to heal it will be the primary task confronting Eisenhower and Macmillan.

But how did the split happen? What had happened between last February and last fall to cause Britain, France and Israel to begin a war without even telling this country?

Those three countries got fed up with the leadership—or lack of leadership—of Eisenhower and Secretary of State Dulles in the Middle East.

They had sat back and taken no strong, positive leadership in trying to chill Egyptian President Nasser, who had seized the Suez Canal.

The same lack of American leadership in the Middle East—far more tense now than when Eden was here—could show up again in the same or another form.

So while Eisenhower and Macmillan may stand with their arms around each other's shoulders to face the world at Bermuda, the real nature of American-British relations will depend on events in the months ahead.

For the Middle East will provide Eisenhower and Macmillan with the most important problem they'll have to talk about, next to restoring some kind of unity.

If the United States has any real plan for bringing peace to the Middle East—which may mean taking a strong stand against Nasser and perhaps alienating much of the Arab world—neither Eisenhower nor Dulles has revealed it.

WAITER TO RESCUE
BOSTON (AP)—Dublin's Lord Mayor Robert Briscoe's clip-on bow tie refused to stay in place during a civil reception in his honor last night. A waiter came to the rescue. He switched his regular bow tie with the mayor's clip-on variety.

In the year 1275, explorer Marco Polo reported that he saw noblemen in China wearing eyeglasses.

Oil Boom in City of Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES (AP)—An oil boom is developing near the downtown area of Los Angeles.

Three movie studios, a large chunk of Hollywood and a Los Angeles residential area constitute the parcel of several hundred acres that the Union Oil Co. is leasing with the intention of drilling this summer.

RKO and Columbia studios have signed leases, a spokesman said, and Paramount is coming in on the deal.

Snapped Cable in Elevator Kills Five

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP)—A cable snapped, and a construction elevator carrying 19 workmen plunged five floors to the ground yesterday. Five of the men were killed and the rest injured.

It sounded like an explosion when it hit—then there were screams, said Bob Barsh, an insulation superintendent at the new Duval County courthouse the men were helping to build.

Among the horrified witnesses were women waiting for their husbands to finish up for the day.

The 85-foot fall killed George Edward Leach, 31; Dewey Woods, 39; Glenn D. Idd, 25; Jack Monroe Thomason, 24; Dave Almore, 56. All were white except Almore.

The injured were distributed among five hospitals. Their conditions were reported serious or critical.

The elevator was on the outside of the new courthouse, a seven-story building being constructed along the St. Johns River in downtown Jacksonville.

Arthur W. Avent, vice president of George D. Auchter Co., general contractor for the project said he could not explain what caused the accident. Safety devices on the elevator were "not proof," he said, but for some reason they didn't hold when the cable broke.

WHAT A BREAK!

LOS ANGELES (UP)—The district attorney giggled, blushed and swooned all at the same time yesterday upon meeting Frank Sinatra when the crooner appeared to testify before the county grand jury about the celebrated "wrong door" raid.

Oh, gee, gosh! squealed the district attorney—high school student Carol McQuown—who was honorary D. A. yesterday in observance of girls day.

'Killers All' to Show at Saenger



The famous motion picture road show, "Killers All" which will be at the Saenger theater, Saturday night, is the only authentic story of the sorry lives of infamous gangsters such as Bonnie Parker, gun-crazy Clyde Barrow, John Dillinger, Pretty Boy Floyd and Machine Gun Kelly.

Bonnie Parker, who was known the world over as a cigar smoking gun moll killer, the only woman ever to fight side by side with her sweetheart, living and loving dangerously, until she and her sweetheart, Clyde Barrow were tricked by their best friend and were shot down in their Ford automobile in Arcadia, La.

John Dillinger, known all over the world as Public Enemy No. 1 because of bank robberies and murders, and whose cost to society is estimated a million dollars from at least 12 bank robberies and the lives of at least 16 police officers and federal men during his reign of terror, until he was killed by federal men in front of a theater in Chicago at 10:45 p. m., July 22, 1934. You will see actual films of Dillinger's death in the motion picture "Killers All."

In conjunction with the picture "Killers All," the bloodstained bullet ridden, gangster's car in which Bonnie and Clyde were killed will be exhibited in front of this theater and there will be a \$5,000.00 lobby display, an exact replica of the electric chair in which Richard Hauptmann died for the Lindbergh kidnapping crime and lifelike wax figures of Bonnie and other gangsters.

Don't miss this unusual motion picture road show, "Killers All," it's one in a million. Late show Saturday 11 p. m. at the Saenger.

Wrong Apartment, Arkansan Says

MEMPHIS (AP)—Carl Haws said he awakened yesterday to find a man in his apartment, standing over his wife's bed.

He said he grappled with the intruder and held him until police arrived.

Dwight Ray Neal Strickland, who said he came here from Searcy, Ark., told Municipal Judge Beverly Boushe that he had entered the apartment by mistake. He said he was told that his cousin lived there.

Judge Boushe told Strickland that there was a ring of truth to his explanation but that the Grand Jury should look into the matter.

UN Secretary to Cairo for Conferences

CAIRO (AP)—U. N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjöld headed for Cairo today to confer with Egyptian leaders on the future of Gaza, the Gulf of Aqaba, the Suez Canal and other issues threatening a new Middle East war.

Leaving New York by plane last night, Hammarskjöld predicted we may be able to establish a situation in Gaza that will give all parties satisfaction, including Israel.

The secretary general expects his trip to last nearly two weeks. He said he will see Egypt's President Nasser when he reaches Cairo tomorrow but added he did not know whether he would visit Israel.

Hammarskjöld said his talks in Cairo would deal with U. N. re-

Wonder Horse 'Lady' Dies at Age of 33

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—Lady Wonder, a brown mare with a reputation as the swiftest of the four-legged set, is dead at the advanced animal age of 33.

A veterinarian attributed the horse's death yesterday to a common human failing—a heart attack.

Over the years Lady attracted almost as much attention pecking away at a horse-sized typewriter contraption in her stall as did her more fleet-footed relatives on the nation's tracks.

Her mistress, Mrs. Claudia Fonda, claimed Lady could read minds and was clairvoyant. There were many who were willing to concede this while skeptics insisted if there was any clairvoyance it was possessed by Mrs. Fonda herself.

But whether it a clairvoyance or sheer coincidence, Lady answers' more than once caused a flurry of excitement.

In 1952 the mare was credited by police in Quincy, Mass., with providing clues that led Danny Matson, a 4-year-old child missing for two years.

A psychologist and specialist in extra-sensor perception, Dr. J. B. Rhine of Duke University, once said Lady gave evidence of some telepathic

responsibility for clearing the Suez Canal, future activities of the U. N. Emergency Force and perhaps cover other ground.

Memphis Slayer to Plead Guilty

MEMPHIS (AP)—Public Defender Hugh Stanton says A. J. Cory, 57, charged with murdering his wife and daughter during a fit of despondency, will plead guilty.

Stanton announced yesterday that Cory, under agreement with the prosecution, will be given a prison sentence of 99 years when he comes up for the hearing Monday.

Stanton said he recommended that Cory plead guilty rather than go on trial because psychiatrists had reported he could not be considered presently insane.

Police said Cory killed his wife Dorothy, 33, and daughter Letitia, 11, by shooting them in the head as they lay in bed at home. Then he slashed his own wrists.

Officers said Cory, manager of a downtown office building, told them he feared he would lose his job and felt that his wife and daughter would not be able to make a go of it alone.

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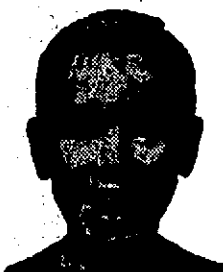
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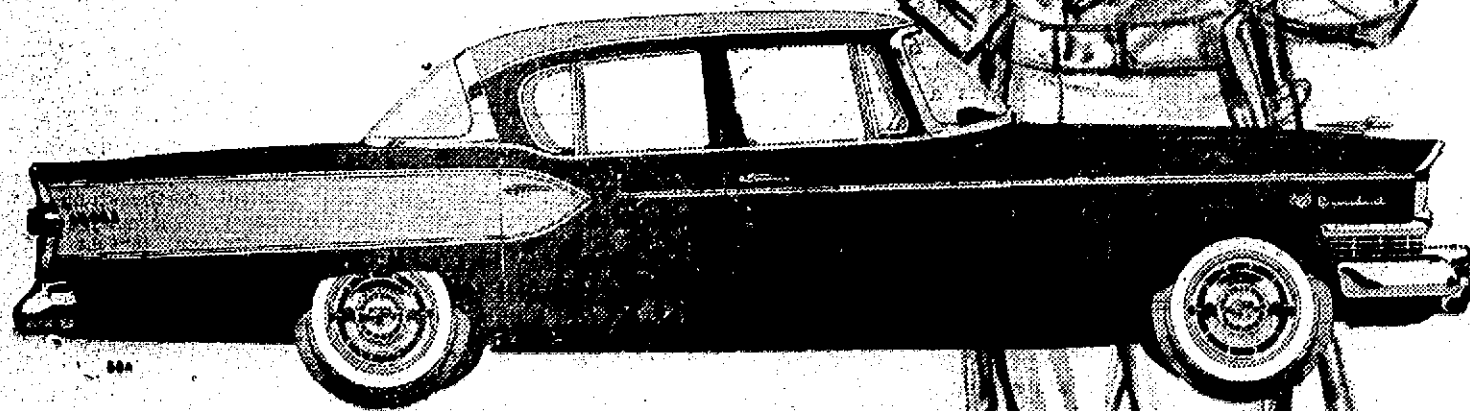


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Calendar

Thursday March 21
Hope Chapter 328 Order of the Eastern Star will meet Thursday March 21 at 7:30 p. m.

The Jonquil Garden Club will meet Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Karl Zogg, 1508 Peckham. Members are to bring line arrangement. Mrs. J. B. Martin will be associate hostess.

The Daffodil Garden Club will meet Thursday March 21 at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Jewell Moore Jr. with Mrs. Ralph Lehman as co-hostess. Mrs. E. P. Young, Jr., will present the program on Japanese Flower Arrangements.

The Azalea Garden Club will meet Thursday March 21 at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Sid Rogers with Mrs. J. I. Liebling as associate hostess.

The Parent Education Group of Junior Senior High P. T. A. will meet Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in the Home Economics College.

Friday March 22
Friday Music Club will entertain the Wednesday Music Club of Texarkana in the home of Mrs. Hendrix Spraggins Friday, March 22 at 2:30 p. m. Co-hostesses are Mrs. Roy Stephenson, Mrs. Sam Strong, Mrs. Talbot Feld Jr., Mrs. C. C. McNeill and Mrs. McDowell Turner. Mrs. Jack Gardner will lead the study and the Choral Club will sing the Conata, "Sir Nut Cracker."

The Guernsey Junior Class will present a Tacky Party and Benefit Party Friday March 22 at 7:30 p. m. in the Guernsey High School Gym. The admission will be 5c for students and 10c for adults. Proceeds will go to the Junior Class. Entertainment will be provided by local talent; prizes will be given to the tackiest adult, high school student and grade school student. Free coffee will be served, and the public is invited.

Saturday March 23
Ladies of the Gospel Lighthouse Church will hold a bake and gift sale Saturday March 23 in the

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Income Tax Reduction Talk Revived

By B. L. LIVINGSTONE

WASHINGTON (AP) — The prospect of budget cuts today revived talk in Congress of income tax reduction.

Influenced House leaders took notice of it by stating privately that reduction of government spending by as much as three or four billion dollars might start a stampede for general tax relief.

But the strong possibility remained that even if the budget is cut substantially, tax cuts would be delayed until next year when Congress members could learn the actual size of a surplus, rather than an estimate of it.

President Eisenhower's budget estimates show an anticipated surplus of 1,700,000,000 for this fiscal year ending June 30, and 1,800,000,000 for fiscal 1958.

If the President's 1958 spending budget of \$71,800,000,000 is cut by three billion dollars, as some Appropriations Committee members say can be done, the government would start its new business year next July 1 with a prospect of surplus of nearly five billion dollars.

Some leaders feel that such a situation might make it impossible to head off demands for general tax relief.

Thus far, Capitol Hill has been in general agreement with the Eisenhower administration that tax reduction is out because of its inflationary aspects: at a time when curbs are being placed on credit expansion, the administration has contended also that any surplus should go toward reducing the national debt.

JOINS ADOPTION PARADE

DENVER (AP) — Juvenile Judge Philip B. Gilliam has approved and signed decrees for 7,000 adoptions. Yesterday he and Mrs. Gilliam adopted a 3-month-old girl through the Denver Department of Welfare.

to give a donation to the Lenten offering.

The meeting closed with the circle benediction, and the hostess served cake and coffee to the 32 members present.

Jayettes Met in McClellan Home

Mrs. Paul McClellan was hostess to the Jayettes Tuesday night March 19 at her home at 7:30. There were 20 members and one guest present.

During the business session presided over by the president, Mrs. McClellan, the constitution was adopted and the date of April 16 set for the installation service at 7:30 p. m. at Diamond Cafe Dining room.

The hostess served hot chocolate and sweet rolls at the conclusion of the meeting.

DeAnn Lilac Garden Club Meeting

The Lilac Garden Club of DeAnn met last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. W. R. Mosley with Mrs. J. M. Arnold and Mrs. W. H. Burke as co-hostess.

The Mosley home was most attractive with lovely arrangements of spring flowers.

Following the business meeting with Mrs. Wayward Burke, President in charge, introduced Mrs. A. W. Martin, guest speaker who gave a most informal and informative talk and demonstration on Flower Arrangements.

Refreshments were served to 14 members and three guest.

Mrs. John Keck Elected V. F. W. Auxiliary President

The V. F. W. Auxiliary met Tuesday March 19, at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. John Keck, and the meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. Hinton Davis.

After a brief business discussion officers for the new year were elected as follows: President, Mrs. John Keck, vice-president, Mrs. Henry Fenwick, Treasurer, Mrs. O. F. Lloyd, Secretary, Mrs. Della Fenwick and Personal Service, Mrs. Hinton Davis.

Place favors carrying out the Easter motif were made to send to Fort Roots Veterans Hospital. The hostess served cookies and coffee at the close of the meeting.

Personal Mention

Friends of Mr. Marshall Dougan will regret to know he is seriously ill in a Prescott Hospital.

Coming and Going

Mrs. Nell Nance Oliver will leave today for Pensacola, Florida for a visit with her son, George Nance and family.

Hospital Notes

Memorial
Admitted: Mrs. Rosa Ann Parker, Rt. 1, Hope, Mr. L. J. Miller, Rt. 1, Hope, Flossie Rae Poindester, Hope, Max Ole Taylor, Hope.

Discharged: Ashley Howard, Hope, Mrs. Delbert Johnson, Rt. 2, Hope, Paralee Scott and baby boy, Rt. 1, Washington, Flossie Poindester and baby boy, Hope, Mr. Joe Booker, Washington, Joe Lester Booker, Washington.

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No one can convince stylists that dresses of this type, by Jacques Heim, become museum pieces because expense makes them impractical.

DOROTHY DIX

It's Too Late to Change
Why Not Try Acceptance?

Dear Dorothy Dix: My children are married, and after 30 years of misery with my husband, I'm wondering what to do. He has always been a good father, a generous provider and has always loved us all, but his jealousy has ruined my life. I have never been able to go anywhere; if I say hello to a male neighbor, I am accused of being a flirt. It would take pages to relate his unreasonable and unfounded accusations. I can't stand it much longer. HILDA

Dear Dorothy Dix: I'm a high school junior of 17, engaged to a man of 24. I'm very active in school projects, such as glee club, and am a cheer leader. My fiancé thinks these are childish pastimes and is always making snide remarks about them, particularly cheer leading. No one else makes unfavorable comments. DOREEN

Dear Dorothy Dix: Your fiancé's scorn is caused by the fact that he resents your youthful activities. He probably is acutely aware of the seven-year gap between you. If he shows signs of a similar attitude in other areas, think twice before marrying him.

Dear Dorothy Dix: For two years I've been going with a divorced man who said he never had gotten love and companionship from his wife. Yet, a couple of months ago, he remarried her. I broke off with him. Was that the right thing to do? I am 30 and not get-

Two Negroes Face Murder Charges

MONTICELLO, (AP) — Two Negro men today faced a charge to first degree murder in the brutal robbery-slaying of a 75-year-old Negro woman of the nearby Wilmar community.

The body of Mrs. Lela Commins, beaten and slashed, was found Sunday in a thicket near her ransacked home where she had lived alone.

Prosecutor A. James Linder of Hamburg last night charged Calvin Wells, 48, and Judge Williams, 48, both of Warren, with first degree murder.

Sheriff Fowler said the two men, both held here, had admitted the crime.

He quoted Wells and Williams as saying they gagged the elderly woman, beat her on the head with a stick and then slashed her throat with a pocket knife.

Dr. Robert Hyatt, who examined the body at the corner's request, said the woman died of a skull fracture and throat lacerations.

The sheriff said the attackers ransacked the house in an unsuccessful attempt to find money.

ling any younger. ELENA

Dear Elena: Believe me, dear, retaining emotional ties with a married man certainly will hasten rather than postpone the aging process.

ANOTHER REPRIEVE

BALTIMORE (AP) — The stiff-tense act in Baltimore has won a reprieve from the City Council. A bill to ban stills died in committee yesterday after failing to arouse any support.

Hourly earnings in California factories exceed the national average of \$2.02 by 22 cents, the state Department of Industrial Relations reports.

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Charged With Killing L. R. Grocer

LITTLE ROCK (UP) — A 45-year-old Little Rock Negro faces first degree murder charges today after confessing late yesterday he killed an elderly Little Rock grocer with a hatchet and indirectly started a fire which caused the death of the grocer's wife.

Esaw Mitchell, who served a six-month term in 1934 for killing a Negro, had been held by police ever since the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. George Beyerlein, Sr., were found last week. Mitchell calmly told police and Prosecuting Attorney Frank Holt of the killing in a 2½ hour session yesterday, then said "I feel better now."

He was asked why he had not confessed before.

"I just had to wait, he replied. My conscience was hurting all the time, but I just couldn't spit it out."

Mrs. Beyerlein's body was discovered in the ruins of the store, which also served as a home, March 6, after firemen extinguished the blaze started by a kerosene stove which exploded. Her husband's body was discovered the next day behind a chicken house in the back yard of a Negro residence across the street from the store.

Mitchell told this story: He had been drinking, and on the way home stopped in the store to tell Beyerlein he could not pay a \$11.25 grocery bill which was due. An argument started and the grocer shoved the Negro.

During the ensuing struggle, Mrs. Beyerlein was knocked against the stove, which exploded, setting her clothing and parts of the building afire. Mitchell picked up a container of money and ran. He said Beyerlein picked up a hand ax and threw it at him. When Beyerlein recovered the hatchet and chased him into the night.

After a short chase, Mitchell turned, wrested the hatchet from the 66-year-old grocer, clubbed him with it, and dragged his body around a Negro residence near the store.

Mitchell said he went back to the scene, picked up his hat and the money container, and return

Airplane Crash Here---Back in 1919



A PLANE CRASHED in the street in front of First Methodist Church back in 1919 and this picture was made by Talbot Field Sr. Fortunately the pilot escaped with injuries. But as the story goes he didn't escape a fine for disturbing the peace — you see, Church was going on when the newfangled contraption crashed. (Ed. Note: This is another in a series of old pictures about Hope and Hempstead.)

Prescott News

Dr. Nelson
PTA Speaker

The Prescott Elementary Parent Teachers Association met on Thursday March 14 at 3:45 p. m. at the Park School with the President, Mrs. Wayne Eley, presiding.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Watson Buchanan. The minutes of the February meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Mack Roberts. The treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Bob Reynolds. Mrs. J. R. Bemis read the State president's message. A report of the executive board was read by Mrs. Roberts.

Mrs. Floyd Hubbard gave a report for the tea-shirt sale and announced the second order would be sent this week. Mrs. Dan Pittman Jr., is chairman of the sale.

Mrs. Edward Bryson reported for the nominating committee and presented the following slate of officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Bill Beck; First Vice-President, Mrs. Bob Reynolds; Second Vice-President, Mrs. D. L. McRae Jr.; Secretary, Mrs. Mack Roberts; treasurer, Mrs. Allen Erskine Jr.; Historian, Mrs. Carroll Bratton; Parliamentarian, Mrs. J. R. Bemis. They were elected and installation will be held at the May meeting.

Mrs. Eley announced a P. T. A. county council will be held at Cale on Tuesday evening March 28 at 7 p. m.

Mrs. Floyd Hubbard, program

ed to Beyerlein, who was struggling to rise. He said he picked up a heavy board and clouted the man again, then dragged the body behind a chicken house where it was discovered.

Police said he then went home to his wife and nine children, washed the blood from his hands and clothing while his family watched the fire department battle the flames in the store. He gave his wife \$25, then called a cab and went to a Negro Club, where he was arrested a short time later.

Teamster Officer

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The special Senate committee probing labor union activities said he was gratified at the prompt indictment. He expressed the hope Hoffa and Fischbach will be tried at an early date.

Fischbach said in Miami that when I am tried, I shall be exonerated. He said he had been retained by Hoffa but not for anything even remotely connected with the accusation.

Hoffa himself rested on his statement after his arrest a week ago tonight in which he vowed he was innocent of wrongdoing and said he will fight this case until I am cleared.

The three-count indictment against Hoffa and Fischbach was returned late yesterday before Federal Dist. Judge Richmond B. Keoch. No date was set for the defendants to answer.

In brief, here are the charges, with maximum penalties if convicted:

1. Conspiracy to bribe, conspiracy to obstruct operations of the McClelland committee, and conspiracy to defraud the United States of and concerning its legislative and governmental functions and rights; five years in prison, a \$10,000 fine, or both.

neck is a speed handicap.

Not long ago, a pig dashed 100 yards in 7.4 seconds to win a Canadian porker derby in Ontario.

Flying is Faster

In nature's sweepstakes ground dwellers rank behind those of the air and sea.

Swimmers, as a rule are slower than runners or flyers. But some seagling mammals manage remarkable speeds. The dolphin, so-called "arrow of the sea," can pace vessels slicing through the waves at 30 knots.

Flyers get where they're going the quickest. The peregrine hawk has been diving at speeds of 160 or more miles an hour for countless centuries. Rival aces are the frigate bird, swift, black vulture and golden eagle.

Among insects, the controversial deer botfly yields to none. Its top speed has been variously estimated from 50 to 800-plus miles an hour.

Ike, MacMillan

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States. This is one occasion when the British will be quite frank and I feel sure the Americans will be quite frank about what they feel," he said, adding he was confident a great deal will be gained from a frank exchange.

Cheeta Winds

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flat on the sand wailing, not winded a particle."

Numerous speedsters have been similarly clocked. Among the top runners are pronghorn antelope (American champion), the black-buck, sprintbok, lion, wildebeest, Thomson's gazelle, race horse.

American elk, red fox, kangaroo, jack rabbit, wild ass, coyote, hartebeest, zebra, greyhound and spotted hyena. Their speeds range from 60 to 40.

Even the African elephant can charge through the bush at 15-25 mph.

The clumsy rhinoceros, as unlikely contender for a speed title, has been clocked at 28. As the rhino makes fierce, unpredictable charges, 28 is a dangerous speed. The giraffe can travel 28 to 32 mph, although its long

chairman, introduced Dr. N. R. Nelson, who showed a film on "Adventures in Seeing" and gave comments on eye care. Winners in the room count were Mrs. Clark's second grade and Mrs. Smith's fourth grade.

P. T. A. Study Meeting

The Junior-Senior Parent Teacher Association study club met at the Home Economics Cottage on Thursday afternoon for the final study with 19 present.

Mrs. Edward Bryson and Miss Frances Thrasher were in charge of the study on "Activities of the School." Tom Barham, Ed Bryson, Billie King, Richard Porter, Douglas Haynie, Shelby Haynie, Jackie Walker and Charles Head of the "Parliamentary Club of the P. T. A." gave a demonstration on "Parliamentary Procedure." Lonnie Jo House and Martin Gilbert spoke on "What High School Has Meant to me."

Mrs. Gordon Entertains Canasta Club

Mrs. C. G. Gordon entertained the 1937 Canasta Club at her home on Friday afternoon. A profusion of spring blossoms in effective arrangements decorated the rooms.

High score honors were won by Mrs. Homer Ward.

A tasteful salad course and coffee was served to canasta guests Mrs. Burke Shelton, Mrs. L. L. Mitchell, members Mrs. J. B. Hesterly Mrs. Jim Yancoy, Mrs. H. J. Wilson, Mrs. W. P. Cummings, Mrs. Imen Gee, Mrs. Ward and a tea guest Mrs. J. W. Dawson.

Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Hirst, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilbert and Mrs. C. D. McSwain were Friday visitors in Hot Springs.

Mrs. Willie Lee Jameson, Mrs. Gertrude Womack and Mrs. Calvin Cassidy of Magnolia were the Friday guests of Mrs. Fannie Newth, Mrs. Mildred Dawson, Mrs. R. S. Hamilton and Mrs. J. C. Siegar.

Miss Shirley Anderson of Little Rock spent the weekend here.

Mrs. C. D. McSwain returned to her home in El Dorado on Saturday after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. O. G. Hirst and other relatives.

Mrs. Floyd Taylor is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Gass and Mr. Gass in Baton Rouge, La.

Mrs. T. E. Logan and Mrs. N. N. Daniel spent Friday in Little Rock.

Mrs. Josephine Carrington left Friday for Austin, Texas to make her home with her brother, Jack Hardey. She was accompanied by her son, Ralph Carrington of Dallas, Texas who spent the past week with his mother.

Mrs. A. W. Hudson and Mrs. W. P. Cummings were Thursday visitors in Texarkana.

Johnny Starks of Little Rock spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Karl King Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Starks. Mrs. Starks and Jonathan remained for a longer visit.

Rev. James Mitchell of Hot Springs was the Sunday morning guest speaker at the First Presbyterian Church.

13 Million Bales of Cotton Ginned

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Census Bureau reported today that 13,150,313 running bales of cotton were ginned from the 1936 crop. This number compared with 14,542,040 bales ginned from the previous years crop to the corresponding date a year ago. This year's ginning was equivalent to 13,308,989 bales of 500 pounds gross weight.

The ginnings by state this year and last, respectively in running bales included: Arkansas 1,399,025 and 1,651,498; Missouri 448,756 and 418,658.

Of some 11 million out-of-state travelers, over 9 million traveled by auto, while the rest traveled by airplanes, train, and bus.

Time Runs Out Today on Labor Leader

WASHINGTON (AP) — Time runs out today on demands that President Dave Beck of the Teamsters Union furnish his personal financial records to Senate racket investigators.

Beck's success as chairman of the powerful 11-state Western Conference of Teamsters, Frank W. Brewster, faced more questioning, meanwhile, about use of union funds to run his race horse stable and buy expensive tailor-made suits and a winter home.

Chairman McClelland (D-Ark) said the special Senate committee investigating alleged labor industry racketeering was ready to slap a subpoena on Beck for his financial data unless he turns them over voluntarily.

McClelland twice has requested the material and fixed 3 p.m. EST. as a deadline for an answer one way or the other. Beck, who was traveling in Europe until two weeks ago, promised a reply after he could talk with his attorneys, including former Sen. James Duff (R-Pa.).

A third top official of the 1½-million-member Teamsters Union, James R. Hoffa, was indicted by a federal grand jury yesterday on conspiracy and bribery charges. While Brewster sweated and squirmed, evidence was brought out yesterday that Teamsters Union dues money went to pay for his racing expenses, clothes and Christmas gifts he spread around during the Yule season.

FREE CHEESE

PETOSKES, Mich., (UP) — A supermarket here is enticing shoppers with a 1,184 pound wheel of cheese.

Customers are allowed to hack off and eat as much of the cheese as they like.

Springdale, Ark. Publisher Dies

SPRINGDALE, Ark., (UP) — Edward R. Stafford publisher of the Springdale News, died of a heart attack at a hospital here today.

The 59-year-old man had been ill for about two weeks.

The Springdale newspaper has been in the Stafford family since 1887. Stafford became publisher in 1937.

He was a former member of the Springdale city council and a former president of the Springdale Rotary club.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Glaphyra Wilkerson Stafford, his mother, Mrs. Myrtle M. Stafford, one brother and three sisters.

Funeral services will be announced.

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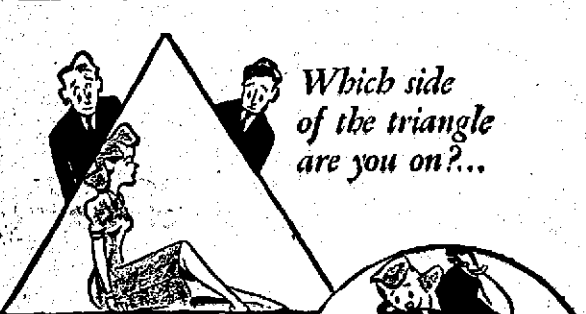
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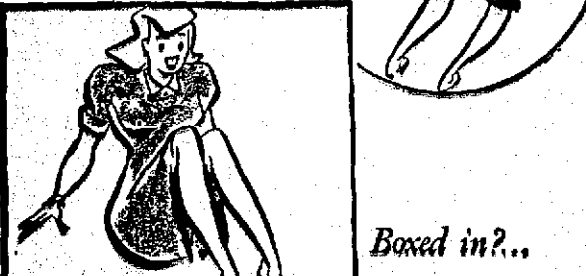
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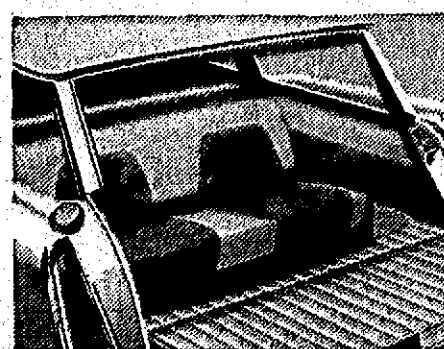
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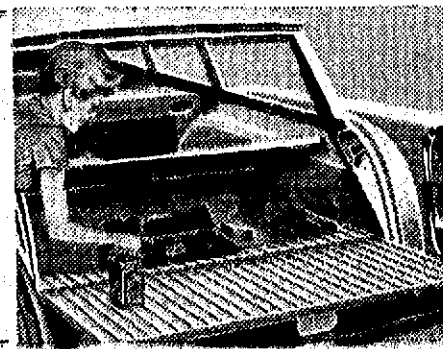
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Believes McCarthy Is Quite a Guy

CHICAGO (UP)—Ralph Vahson, 61, has decided that Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.) is quite a guy.

Vahson, who terms himself an independent Democrat, told yesterday how McCarthy helped rescue him from his wrecked car. He was pinned beneath the car Sunday when it overturned in suburban Highland Park.

Gasoline was spilling over his face, Vanston said, and I was afraid there'd be an explosion.

This guy came up and took charge, Vanston continued. He flagged down motorists to help, then he took off his coat, rolled up his sleeves and helped lift the car off me.

After Vanston was freed, Otis Gomillion, Milwaukee, who was driving the senator, introduced McCarthy to the motorist. The disbelieving Vanston told Gomillion if his rescuer was McCarthy, then I'm Napoleon.

McCarthy is quite a guy, Vanston said. He wasn't afraid of getting involved in an explosion, and I'd admire that in anybody.

Vanston, a steamfitter, said

Hope's 'High Fourth' Grade Class--About 1907



Giant Jets Are Really Flying on Paper

By Sam Dawson

NEW YORK (PA). A big airline is flying paper jets around various parts of the world and through a giant computer today. That way it hopes to save tidy sums of money when it enters the jet age with its 300-million-dollar purchases of the new speed kings.

The jets are really on paper and their flights are strictly through the machine. But they simulate every between-cities route and in a wide variety of altitudes, equipment, fuels, official rules and weather conditions.

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Next the specifications on all other jets now being produced or planned will take the same paper trip through the IBM 705. And out of the big machine will come, perhaps, a valuable guide to future purchases of more jets.

If this data were worked out by hand, it would take one month per plane, according to John S. Woodridge, Pan Am comptroller. With the mechanical brain the job can be done in half an hour.

It takes much longer than that to get the program set up and into the machine. But much of the material can be used over and over for different planes and different flight conditions.

For each paper jet being tested technicians prepare 69 punch cards. Of these 5 describe the plane's various attributes.

The other 24 cards deal with the route between the two cities involved, such as distance, departure and destination airports' elevations, runway lengths and temperatures, wind values, fuel prices and distance and other required data on an alternate airport if needed.

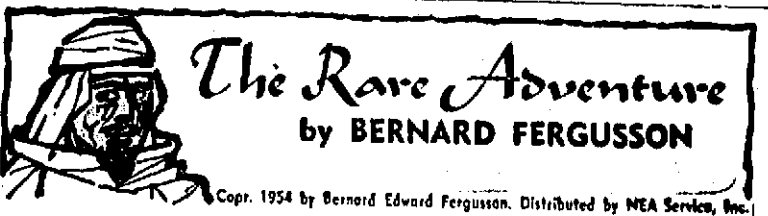
These 69 cards for each of the he hadn't picture a senator as the kind of guy who would pitch in to help another fellow. Furthermore, Vanston said, he hasn't always agreed with McCarthy.

Vanston suffered minor cuts and bruises in the mishap. McCarthy, in Milwaukee, complained of a backache and sore legs.

Here is the High-Fourth Grade Class of about 1907 at the old courthouse now stands. The photo came from Mrs. Henry Fenwick, large and engraved by Hope Star.

Not so many of the folks in the picture can be identified, but someone in that sea of faces are the following: Mrs. Tom McLarty, Mrs. Jeff Murphy, Paul Lewis, Roy Stephenson, Mrs. B. C. Hyatt, Mrs. Tom Duckett, and Everett Allen.

(Ed. Note: This is another in a series of old pictures about Hope and Hempstead)



The Rare Adventure by BERNARD FERGUSON

By BERNARD FERGUSON

THE STORY: Although they have been ordered to leave Senout, where they came as visitors, Allan and Mollie are forced now to stay because of trouble in Tunisia. Allan is seeking traces of a famous Scottish relative who turned pirate two centuries ago.

CHAPTER IX

When Allan and Mollie came downstairs the following morning, they found to their surprise a smart native policeman, Berber by the look of him, and armed with a rifle, awaiting them outside the hotel. He gave them a smart salute and handed them a letter.

What a lot of letters people seem to write to each other in this place, said Allan.

It was an apologetic note from the harassed Billon to the effect that he would be grateful if Allen would accept an escort for the trip to Areg, appealing once again to Allan's understanding of administrative problems on the strength of his own experience, and adding homages to Mollie.

We'll have to accept it, said Allan, but I wonder why he thinks it necessary?

I should think it's to act as chaperone, suggested Mollie. Fernana had ordered a taxi, and said that he had sent a message to a friend of his who spoke English, and who would meet them at Areg.

The original and ancient village occupies the whole of a small rise; but the verisil of water building as spread down the

various jets on order-Boeing and Douglas-are put through the machine, at several different altitudes of flight.

Pan Am is thus learning what plane is most economical under what conditions and what routes are too short or airport runways too skimpy, or any but highly expensive ton-mile costs.

slopes, and one or two larger houses stand aside a little from the rest of the town.

The higher they got, the older looked the town; until the taxi leered out in a small square and the policeman sprang out from his seat beside the driver to open the rear door of the car.

Allan and Mollie got out; the policeman shut the door and led the way through a narrow vaneel which twisted still further up a hill, giving way every now and then in steps. Twenty yards before the summit of the vaneel straightened, to disclose a long whitewashed building with a low door, beside which was standing a tall, dark, well-groomed man in European clothes, whom they recognized at once. It was the driver of the African car, whom they had first seen at Nail and again on the ferry at Marsa Yankoub.

That stinker who might have given us a lift the other day, I wonder, if he's Fernana's friend, who's going to show us round?

Apparently so; for he came forward to meet them, raising a neat panama hat as he did so. He was broad-shouldered, graceful in his movements; had distinguished features, clean-shaven, thin-nosed, neat dark brown hair; and he was wearing the same light gray suit they had seen him in at Nail.

Colonel and Mrs. Larg, I presume? he said. Mr. Fernana telephoned to me early this morning to say you were coming.

We very much wanted to come, said Mollie. Everybody tells us that Areg is a thing which we must see.

I will do my best to make it profitable, said their guide. Let me just dismiss your policeman; I can promise you that you won't need his protection while you are in Areg of Kibir. And he turned to speak to the escort; but Allan interrupted.

I'm awfully sorry; but Captain Billon particularly asked us to bring him along—in fact, I'm under an obligation to him not to get rid of him. Is there any objection to his coming with us?

The guide looked troubled. There is no objection at all to his coming into the synagogue unarmed; but he cannot come in with his pistol.

Well, I dare say it would be all right if he waited outside. Would you be good enough to tell him so?

Certainly, Colonel Larg; and a flood of Berber followed. But the escort shook his head, and replied, also in Berber. A torrent of argument followed, until at last the guide said:

This is very awkward; he appears to be adamant.

Let me try, said Allan; he won't understand my Arabic, but it may frighten him into doing what we want. He spoke to the man.

The policeman looked astonished, and froze at once. The guide seemed to be as delighted as Mollie and Allan in the success of Allan's Arabic.

Tell me, said Mollie, did you understand what my husband said just now?

I did, said the guide, but I doubt if Captain Billon's chosen companion did. He is Berber. But no matter; he is not following us.

Poor man, said Mollie. You didn't tell us your name, by the way.

The guide looked at her. I am called Camille, he said. The building was for all the world like one of the older and uglier Scotch village churches, severe and plain, devoid of ornament, short of pews. Bare it certainly was, and square more or less; but two thirds of its space was separated by what in an Anglican church would have been a rood, but which was here a wooden wall two or three feet high with wooden pillars mounting to the roof, den seats running round the wall, and the

Laboratory Blast Leaves 3 Men Dead

LINDEN, N. J. (AP)—An explosion in a vitamin laboratory killed 3 men and injured 11 others early today at the Merck and Co. pharmaceutical plant.

The men were all working in the first floor of a three-story brick building when flammable solvents used to make vitamin A apparently ignited, a company spokesman said.

Fire broke out briefly but was put out.

The dead were identified as: Walter Green; Ed Cenzrowski and Edward L. Menisch.

Leo Blisch was seriously injured. He was taken to the Rahway hospital.

Ten other workers in the laboratory were treated for minor injuries at the plant dispensary.

The blast did extensive damage to the first floor of the building. One worker only 25 feet from the blast escaped unharmed.

It was the first fatal accident at the plant since 1947 when two men died in a fire at a pilot plant.

Tuesday Is Last Day of Winter

By The Associated Press

Today was the last full day of the winter season but it looked like mid-winter in many northern Midwest states with the second heavy snowfall in less than a week.

Snow piled up to a foot in sections of Nebraska and South Dakota and there were lesser amounts in parts of Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin and Michigan. Blizzards hit some of the same areas last Thursday and Friday.

A mixture of freezing rain, sleet and snow occurred in Lower Michigan during the night while snow fell in most of Wisconsin.

Falls had ended in most areas west of the Mississippi River in Iowa and the plains although skies were overcast.

Rain or drizzle was widespread from Missouri and Illinois eastward through the Ohio Valley and southward to the South Atlantic Coast.

Spa Landslide Buries 2 Cars

HOT SPRINGS (AP)—Workmen today were clearing away the vestiges of a landslide which buried seven automobiles in a downtown parking lot yesterday.

A largest segment of a 30-foot slope of North Mountain, which Mountain, which reaches a height of 500 feet, came roaring down on Sonny's Parking Lot No. 6 here were no injuries.

The lot, on Central Avenue, was originally excavated out of the slope.

Police said the landslide probably was caused by heavy rains over the weekend.

S. C. Burnett, operator of the lot, said workmen yesterday uncovered the buried cars and found two wrecked beyond repair. Five others were not badly damaged.

Burnett estimated total damages at \$8,000.

Red Buttons to Try the Movies

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Red Buttons, one of television's most famous victims, is now trying his hand at the movies.

The comic's meteoric rise and fall in TV is now the classic example of how the new medium consumes talent. In three years he went from brilliant success to unemployment.

Of course it's not as bad as all that because Buttons is a bright, talented fellow who can always earn a mighty good living in night clubs, TV guest shots, etc. But an ambitious guy, he's looking for new fields to conquer. Such as the movies.

whole varnished in the worst of Victorian shades. There hung on the walls various closed cabinets, also varnished in an unhappy, Prince Consort tincture of re-splendored brown. Camille showed them round, describing in a voice which did not trouble to hush the

laughter of the place.

(To Be Continued)

Senate Approves Brennan, Whitaker

WASHINGTON (UP)—The Senate today approved by voice vote the nominations of Democrat William J. Brennan, Jr., and Republican Charles E. Whitaker to the Supreme Court.

Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.) opposed Brennan's nomination. McCarthy uttered the only audible no.

Approval of Whitaker, a 56-year-old Circuit Court of Appeals judge from Kansas City, came with no audible opposition after the Senate confirmed Brennan.

Brennan was given a recess appointment last Sept. 29 to succeed retired Associate Justice Sherman Minton. He has been serving on the bench pending confirmation.

Whitaker was named March 2 to succeed retired Associate Justice Stanley F. Reed.

Acting on the long-stalled Brennan nomination came after McCarthy denounced Brennan as a man who used the sanctuary of the New Jersey Supreme Court to conduct guerrilla warfare against anyone who dared to expose individual Communists.

However Brennan was warmly endorsed by New Jersey's two senators, Republicans H. Alexander Smith and Clifford P. Case, and Senate Republicans whip Everett M. Dirksen (Ill.).

Whitaker was endorsed warmly by Sen. Thomas C. Hennings Jr. (D-Mo.).

Makes More Cash With Gun Than Jesse James

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—Ruth Handler will make more money with guns this year than Jesse James did in his whole life.

Mrs. Handler, top woman executive in the nation's says the top toys of 1937 will be guns.

The result: More toy guns—up to 13 million—will probably be sold Mrs. Handler. They get up set if told they can't have them. They even steal them from their little brothers.

Mrs. Handler, a onetime secretary, and her husband, Elliot, a former artist, are known as the quiz kids of the toy trade.

In 1944 they were earning a bare living making plastic jewelry. Then they started turning out plastic toy furniture, and grossed \$100,000 the first year.

Elliot turned out to have a natural genius for creating novel toys that caught the fancy of children. Ruth showed a remarkable talent for solving production problems and marketing the toys.

Their firm now has up to 1,000 employees in peak season at its Los Angeles plant.

We started on a shoestring, said Ruth, a dark-haired, vivacious woman who has two children herself. But it takes more than a shoestring to keep going.

You have to keep a step ahead of the rest, and be able to sense trends in advance. My husband has a sixth sense in this respect. He's a great idea man.

Research is of great importance. Designing a good toy requires, in my opinion, a better quality of engineering than that required to do national defense work. And I think I know. We've done some defense work.

Some manufacturers carry lines of 200 or even 300 toys. The Handlers concentrate on no more than

20 or 25, including about five new ones each year.

Mrs. Handler has found no conflicts in being her husband's business as well as marital partner.

Everybody reports to me but him, she said, smiling. I report to him. He's my boss.

We lead two separate lives. A business life during the day, a married life in the evenings—and we're happy in both lives.

We're together 24 hours a day, and don't get on each other's nerves. We're very lucky people.

NAVY PLANE CRASHES
MANILA (AP)—A U. S. Navy Skyraider plunged into the Philippine Sea today north of the island of Alabat. The pilot was presumed lost.

Ohio's state tree is the buckeye. The nuts have some poisonous qualities, but American Indians ate them safely after continuous boiling.

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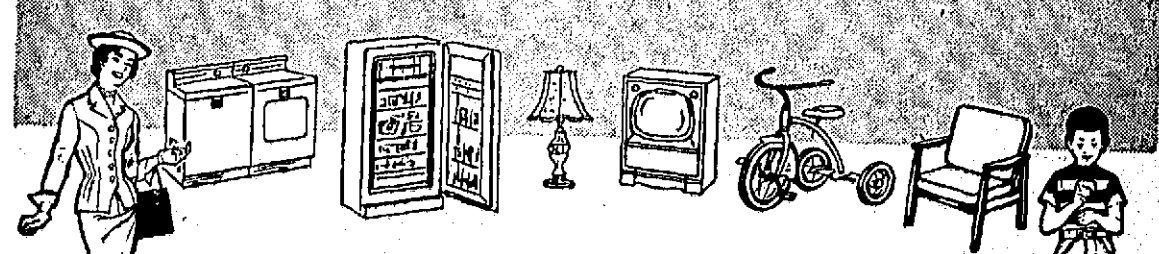
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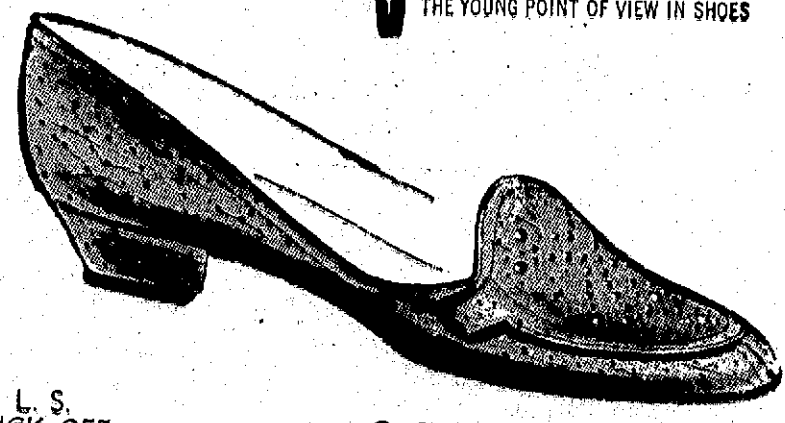
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Auxiliary To Sponsor Tea

Tribe No. 2 of Rising Star Baptist Church will sponsor a tea in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Gamble Sunday, March 24, from 3 p. m. until 6 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Admission 25c.

Basketball At Harris Gym

On Friday evening, March 22, at 7:30, the P. T. A. of Yerger High School will play the PTA of Childress High School, Nashville, Ark.

This promises to be one of the most thrilling basketball games that has been played in Harris Gym.

For an evening of real fun plan now to attend. Admission Elementary student 10c; High School students, 15c; Adults, 25c.

Fighter Faces Charges in Florida

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Jake LaMotta, former middleweight boxing champion, faces six months in jail after his conviction on two charges of violating Florida's prostitution laws.

A six-man court of crimes jury deliberated 2½ hours last night before convicting the 34-year-old former boxer on two counts and acquitting him in two others. LaMotta, now a Miami Beach bar operator, stood silent while Judge George E. Schulz pronounced the maximum sentence of six months in county jail at hard labor and a fine of \$500.

The jury convicted LaMotta of operating a place in which a 14-year-old girl made dates for prostitution and of aiding and abetting her activities. He was freed on charges of receiving the girl in his establishment and procuring customers for her.

LaMotta was released in \$1,000 bond pending filing motions for a new trial and an appeal to Circuit Court.

LaMotta and his attorney, L. J. Cushman, called the verdict a serious miscarriage of justice.

Melvin Stroller, who has pleaded guilty to contributing to the delinquency of a minor, said earlier he met the girl at LaMotta's bar and had relations with her the next day.

Basketball
By The Associated Press
National Invitation Tournament Quarterfinals

Bradley 116, Xavier Ohio 81
Temple 77, Dayton 66

National AAU Women's Second Round

Plainview, Tex., 64, Bristo, R. I., 45
Nashville 42, Virginia Beach, Va., 27

Omaha 37, Cincinnati 24
Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, 65, Amarillo, Tex., 45

Clarendon, Tex., 43, St. Joseph, Mo., 32
Beacon's 32

Denver 37, Atlanta 34
Milwaukee 64, Wichita 41
Kansas City Midland 61, Little Rock Philanders 40

Consolation Quarterfinals
St. Joseph Platt 63, Kansas City Dons 40
Arkadelphia, Ark., 45, Cleveland 36

Atalissa, Iowa, 52, Kansas City 20
All Army Telfney Second Round

St. Eustis 9, U. S. Army Pacific (Hawaii) 64
St. Leonard Wood 89, Armed Force Far East (Korea) 81

Sixth Army (San Francisco) 84, Third Army (St. Bragg) 67
First Army Ft. Dix 76, Fourth Army (Ft. Sill) 72

By The Associated Press
Western Division semifinal play-off
Minneapolis 110, Fort Wayne 108
Minneapolis wins best-of-series, 2-0.

Baseball
By The Associated Press
Kansas City 8, Brooklyn 5 (10 innings)
Washington 6, Cincinnati 4
New York (A) 8, Milwaukee 5
Philadelphia 6, Detroit 5 (11 innings)
Pittsburgh 2, Chicago (A) 3

Rifleman of Year to Be Selected

Beginning this afternoon at 4:00, the Junior Rifle Club will hold its annual "Rifleman of the Year Match" to select the Club's outstanding shooter for the past year. This match, sponsored annually by the National Rifle Association, is held by Junior Clubs all over the country. The winner will receive a Rifleman of the Year medal sent down by the NRA while the local club will furnish awards down to 5th place.

Beginners and younger marksmen will begin competition at 4 p. m. while the older group will compete starting at 7:30 p. m. High scores in this match will represent the local Club in the Sectional Rifle Tournament to be held at Henderson, Texas on April 6-7. Judy Kaye Wright, defending champion, will be hard pressed to keep her title.

Wayland Is Favored Over Ouachita

ST. JOSEPH, Mo. (AP)—Favored Wayland College of Plainview, Tex., will shoot for an AAU record of 102 consecutive victories in the quarter-finals of the National Women's AAU basketball tournament here tonight.

Plainview meets Clarendon, Tex., in its search for a fourth straight AAU tourney championship. The Queens won their 101st straight game in yesterday's second round, defeating Bristol, R. I., 64-17.

Two consolation games and four contests in the championship bracket are scheduled today and tonight in the double elimination tournament.

The schedule:

Consolation Bracket
8:30 a.m.—Jackson, Miss., vs. Arkadelphia, Ark.

1:30 p.m.—Atalissa, Iowa, vs. winner of morning game.
Championship bracket
8:30 p.m.—Nashville vs. Denver
7:30 p.m.—Omaha vs. Kansas Midlands.

9 p.m.—Plainview, Tex., vs. Clarendon, Tex.
10:15 p.m.—Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, vs. Milwaukee.

Yesterday's scores:
Championship bracket —Nashville 42, Virginia Beach, Va., 27; Plainview 64, Bristol, R. I., 17; Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, 65, Amarillo, Tex., 45; Omaha 37, Cincinnati 24; Clarendon, Tex., 43, St. Joseph, Mo., 32; Denver 37, Atlanta 34; Milwaukee 64, Wichita 41; Kansas City Midlands 61, Little Rock Philanders 40.

Consolation bracket —Atalissa, Iowa, 52, Kansas City Scotties 20; Arkadelphia, Ark., 45, Cleveland 36; St. Joseph Platt 63, Kansas City Dons 40.

Uncertainty Surrounds Boston Camp

By JOE REICHLER

SARASOTA, Fla. (AP)—An air of uncertainty surrounds the Boston Red Sox training camp.

The Red Sox can finish anywhere from second to fifth without raising an eyebrow. They have a fine hitting outfield, good catching and fair pitching but they also have what is probably the most porous infield in the league, they sadly need a lefthanded pitcher or two and two of the club's most dangerous batters—Ted Williams and Mickey Vernon—are nearing 39. The Red Sox finished fourth in 13 games behind last year.

Mike Higgins, starting his first year at the helm is neither optimistic nor pessimistic.

Our chief problem, Mike conceded, is the infield of course. The loss of Don Buddin to the service has hurt us a lot. He was a good shortstop for us and, he would have been much better this year.

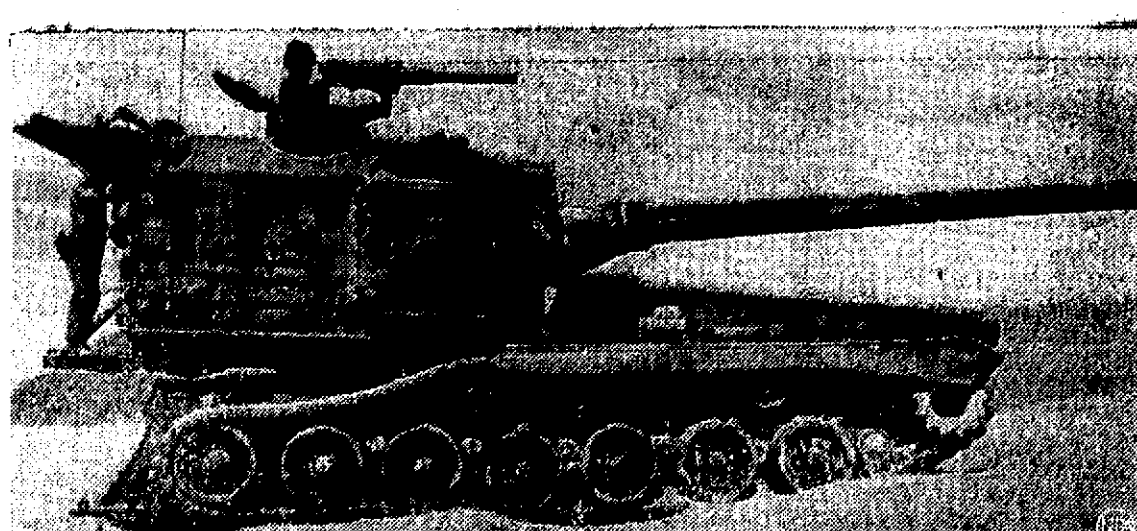
If Higgins had to open the season tomorrow, he probably would have Dick Gernert at first base, Gene Mauch, the retrained 33-year old former National League, at second; Billy Klaus at shortstop and Ted Lepel at third. That would mean that Vernon and Billy Goodman would be warming the bench.

In Williams (345), Jack Jensen (315) and Jimmy Piersall (293) Higgins owns the best hitting infield in the league. The trio surged 88 homers and drove in 266 runs. The catching with Sam White (245), Pete Daley (267) and rookie Haywood Sullivan (up from San Francisco) 298, presents no problem.

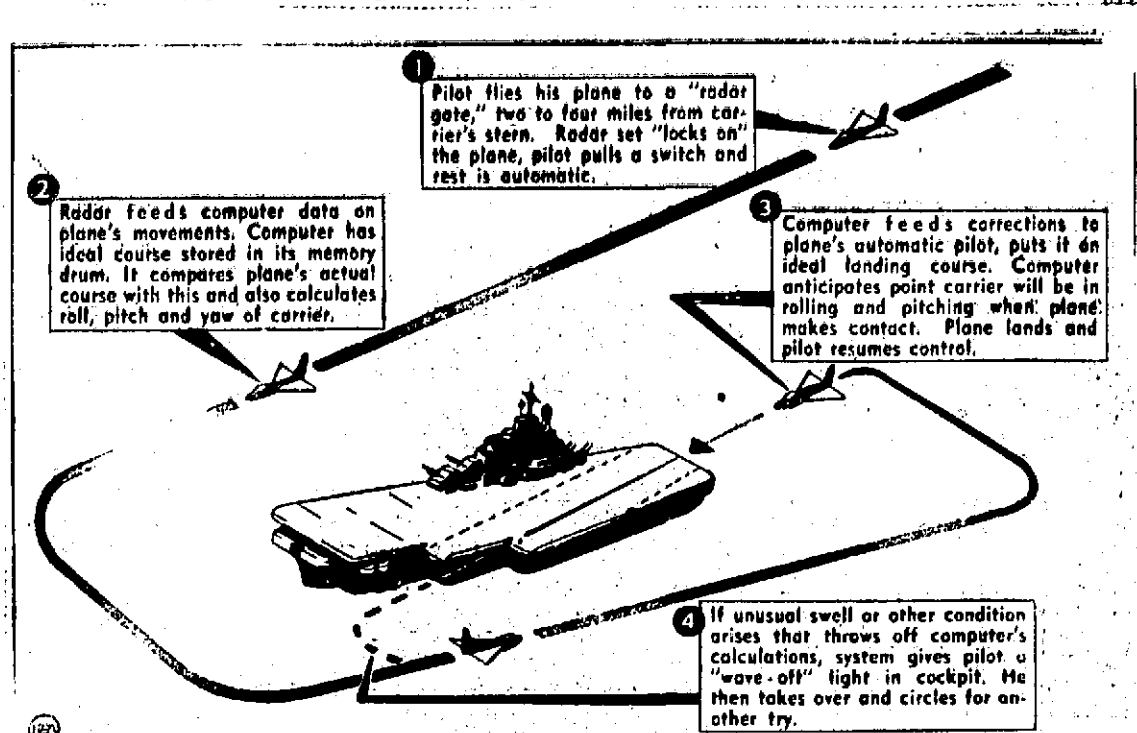
Our pitching figures to be better, said Higgins. I thought it would be real good last year but I was disappointed. Frank Sullivan (14-9) had only a fair season. William Nixon (4-8) had a sore shoulder and Bob Porterfield (3-12) had a terrible time. He can't possibly be as bad this year.

Dave Sisler (8-8) had a good first season and should be better. I look for Tom Brewer (18-1) to develop into a right star this year. I really think we've got enough pitching for a fine staff.

Boston 7, St. Louis 6
New York (N) 8, Chicago (N) 4
Baltimore 8, Cleveland 4



LOUD SPEAKER—Size of this new gun, being used by the Bell Aircraft Corporation, can be judged by the way it dwarfs the pilot standing on tailboard. The self-propelled weapon is a 155-mm "Long Tom" mounted on an M-48 chassis. The high-speed, heavy artillery piece has a range of 25,000 yards.



"BRAIN" CAN LAND PLANE IN ALL WEATHER WITHOUT PILOT—Just demonstrated at the Niagara Falls plant of the Bell Aircraft Corporation is a new system for landing planes in all kinds of weather—while the pilot relaxes with his hands in his lap. The demonstration was on "electronic brain" computer. How it combines with a special radar set to bring a plane in for a carrier landing is diagrammed above. Bell produced the system in cooperation with the Navy.

National Leads in Number of Home Runs

By JOHN CHANDLER
Of The Associated Press

Home run sluggers' drive beginning to find the range on the exhibition circuit. So far, the National Leaguers are far ahead of the Americans.

In eight games yesterday, there were 23 homers and most of them broke up the old ball game. Ten clubs have played 10 exhibitions and six have completed 11. A total of 161 homers have been hit—99 by National and 62 by American League teams.

The New York Giants and Philadelphia Phillies have each clouted 17 homers, while the Chicago White Sox lead the Americans with a dozen.

Dick Stuart, the Pittsburgh rookie who belted 66 homers with Lincoln of the Western League last year; Jim Lemon, Washington; and Hank Aaron, Milwaukee, each have hit five exhibition blasts.

Stuart got two home runs yesterday as the Pirates defeated the White Sox 9-3. He fared the other three times at bat.

Rookie Neil Chisley hit a two-run homer in the ninth to provide Washington's 6-4 victory over Cincinnati. Clint Courtney's two-run homer had tied the score for Washington in the seventh.

Bob Henry and George Crowe homered for the Redlegs. Kansas City defeated Brooklyn 6-5 when Johnny Groh rapped the ball over the fence in the 10th inning in another duel of homers.

Gus Zernial hit another for the A's, while Don Zimmer, Duke Snider and Gino Cimino got one apiece for the Brooks.

Jim Piersall hit the first Boston homer of the spring, but it was a grand-slammer in the third inning and helped the Red Sox to a 7-6 victory over the St. Louis Cardinals.

Mails Full of Pleas to Cut the Budget

By GORDON BROWN

WASHINGTON (AP)—Arkansas members of Congress reports steady flow of cut the budget.

They agreed the volume is by no means a deluge but all said it has been persistent and steady over the past few weeks.

Heaviest mail on the subject apparently is being received by Sen. McClellan and Rep. Norrell, members of the appropriations committee of Congress.

Here are a few representative excerpts from typical cut the budget letters received by the Arkansans:

The time has come when the federal government should think about reducing expenditures. The country is spending too fast and too much.

We expected Eisenhower to reduce this spending trend but from where I sit I see no evidence that an effort is being made to reduce the budget and cut taxes.

Some of us are getting



YOUTH LEADER—Dr. Arthur A. Schuck, chief Scout executive of the Boy Scouts of America, has been appointed by President Eisenhower to be chairman of the Youth Committee for the President's People to People program. The Youth Committee consists of adult leadership from 25 youth organizations with a combined membership of millions of young people. It is one of 41 groups seeking to promote people-to-people contacts throughout the world to develop fellowship.

ling led up with extravagance in government.

It is utterly disgusting to the taxpayers the way our government is squandering money.

Please vote against federal schools foreign aid except in drastic cases, health insurance; cut everything else 10 per cent across the board.

The letters get a sympathetic response from the Arkansas legislators who say they likewise are interested in cutting the budget.

Rep. Norrell, an expert on the budget, said he has hopes that several billion dollars can be lopped from the President's 72-billion-dollar budget.

First, he said, perhaps one to two billions can be trimmed from the various domestic departments, bureaus and agencies. Then perhaps another billion can be cut from foreign aid.

And that, he said, brings us to the Defense Department which gets the bulk of the big money.

His committee, Norrell said, has asked the Defense Department to specify where cuts can be made without harming the country's security. He added he is hopeful cuts can be made.

We may be able to cut from three to five billion dollars from the budget, he said.

McClellan, who has been busy with his labor-relations investigation, has been recalling to his constituents that for the last two years he has voted against foreign aid appropriations, which are down in this year's budget for \$4,400,000,000. But he points out that the big problem is the Defense Department whose appropriations must be viewed in light of national security.

Helena, Arkansas, on the Mississippi river, has been dubbed "Arkansas' Only Seaport." The city is a shipping center for lumber, cotton and other products.

Ike May Ask

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of drastic and spiraling liquidation should not be dismissed.

The report is neutral on stand-by controls; it presents various conflicting views in its five volumes and 1,610 pages. The reserve board itself has taken no position though it presumably would administer any controls voted, as it does the margin buying of stock on the exchanges.

Eisenhower asked Congress 14 months ago to consider standby controls. That was just after the 1955 auto credit binge, when total installment debt outstanding soared by 5 billion dollars.

The rate of rise abated last year without damage, and the issue has taken a back seat. Businessmen who have visited Eisenhower recently said he shows far less concern. Neither has any strong movement for controls developed in Congress.

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Memphis State Reaches NIT Semi-finals

By TED MEIER

NEW YORK (AP)—Bradley vs. Temple and Memphis State vs. St. Bonaventure in tomorrow night's semi-finals in the National Invitation Basketball tourney.

Temple and Bradley reached the round of four last night by whipping Dayton 77-66 and Xavier of Ohio 116-81, respectively. Each put on decisive second-half rallies to win easily.

Memphis State and the Bonnies won their quarter-final games Monday night.

Bradley, making its first Madison Square Garden appearance since losing to CCNY in the 1953 finals of both the NIT and NCAA, astounded the crowd of 10,543 by routing Xavier after trailing 38-17.

The Missouri Valley Conference team finished by setting an all-time Garden mark of 115 by St. John's of Brooklyn against Rhode Island earlier this season.

Shelley McMillon scored the field goal that shattered the previous NIT record of 110 made by St. Louis against Connecticut in 1955. A few seconds before the end Dave Emerson tossed the ball free throws that secured the all-time Garden mark of 115 by St. John's of Brooklyn against Rhode Island earlier this season.

Temple, led by a court wizard in southpaw Guy Rodgers, trailed at halftime 41-30 but rattled Dayton's zone defense in the second half.

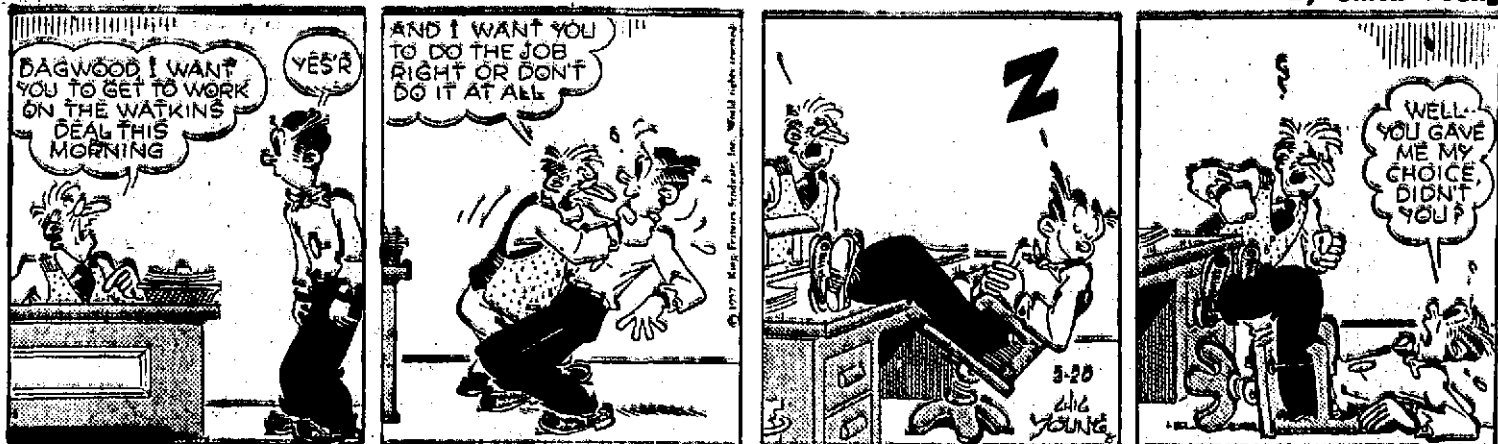
The second-seeded Braves from Peoria rallied to within at the halftime before the roof fell in on Xavier. The Braves went on an almost unbelievable 406 to 344 to take the game apart.

The tide changed with the Braves trailing by 21.

We started an all-court press then, said Braves Coach Chuck Osborn. The boys knew they were going to win at halftime. They felt that confident. I was

BLONDIE

By Chick Young



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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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- 1 Texas patriot, — Houston.
- 4 French painter.
- 8 Kind of warden.
- 12 Mrs. Eddie Cantor.
- 13 Wing-shaped.
- 14 French islands.
- 15 Twitching.
- 16 Fellow residents.
- 18 Civil War statesman.
- 20 White poplar.
- 21 Fish eggs.
- 22 Discord goddess.
- 24 Social insects.
- 26 Hebrew month.
- 30 Guillotine.
- 32 Fictional blandish.
- 34 Praised.
- 35 Revised.
- 36 Make a mistake.
- 37 Communists.
- 39 Container.
- 40 Dreadful.
- 41 Hawaiian wreath.
- 42 Recent battlefield.
- 45 Joust.
- 49 Bubbling.
- 51 One of the Gershwins.
- 52 Memorandum.
- 53 — homol.
- 54 Nothing.
- 55 Hardy heroine.
- 56 Female saints (ab.).
- 57 Driving command.

DOWN

- 1 Poses for a portrait.
- 2 Mine entrance.
- 3 General.
- 4 Italian poet.
- 5 Bread spread.
- 6 Precipitated.
- 7 Work unit.
- 8 Surname.
- 9 Century plant.
- 10 European blackbird.
- 11 Essential being.
- 12 Short.
- 13 Scented.
- 19 Scented.
- 23 Destroys.
- 24 Competent.
- 25 Close.
- 26 Viper.
- 27 Holding.
- 28 Individuals.
- 29 Walk in water.
- 31 Television part.
- 33 Kitchen tool.
- 38 Discover.
- 40 Removes.
- 41 Stringed instrument.
- 42 English duke.
- 43 Wind instrument.
- 44 Grooves.
- 46 Formerly.
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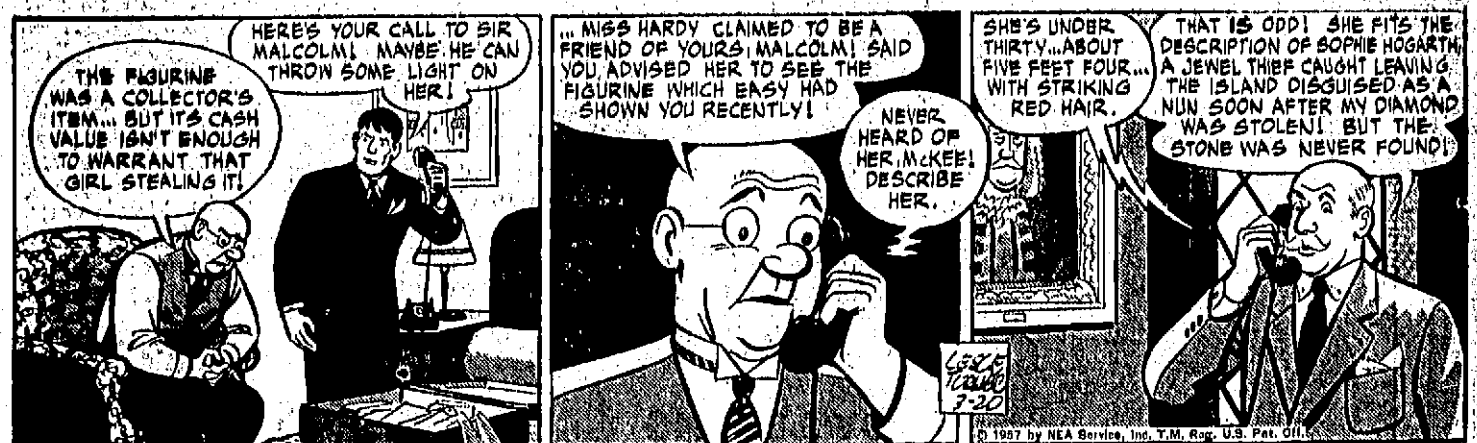
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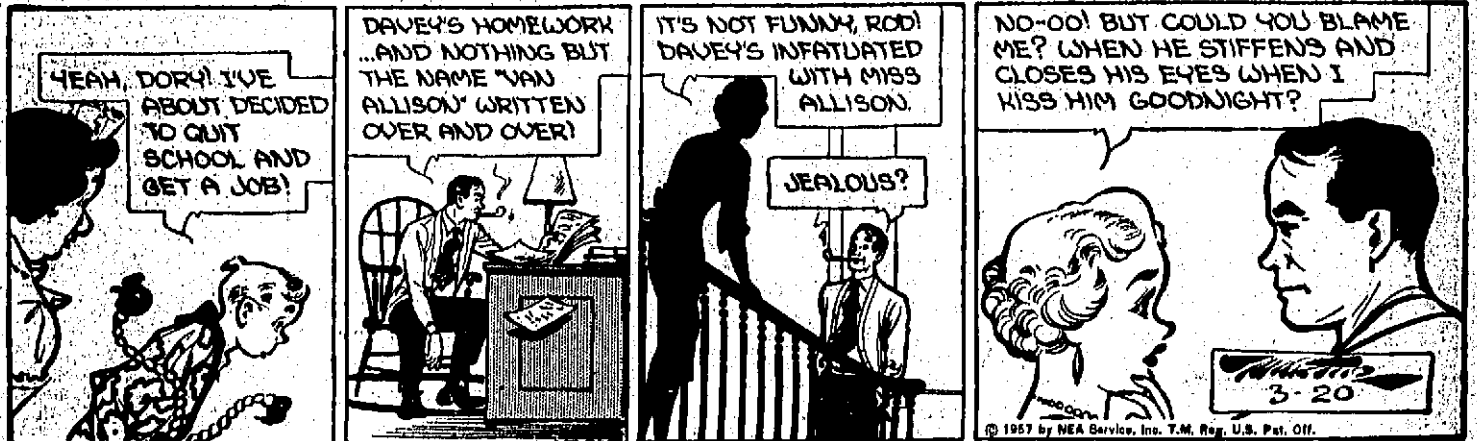
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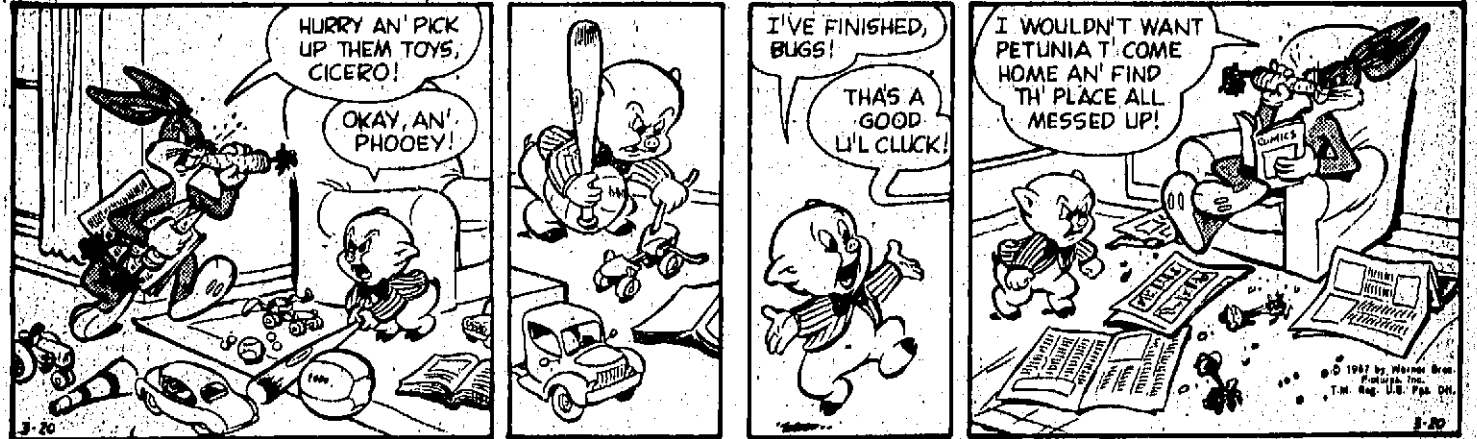


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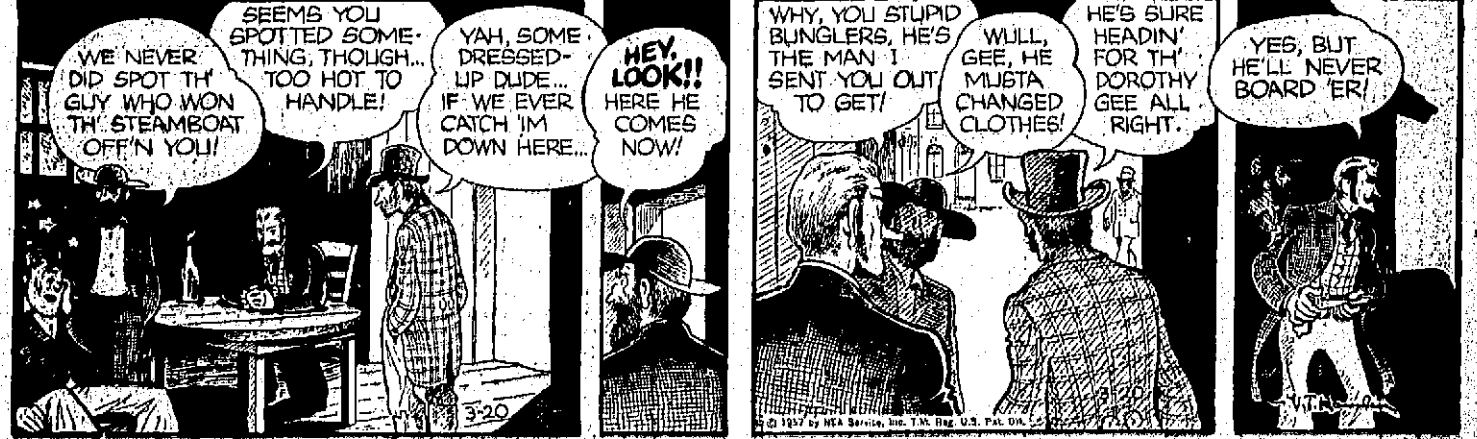


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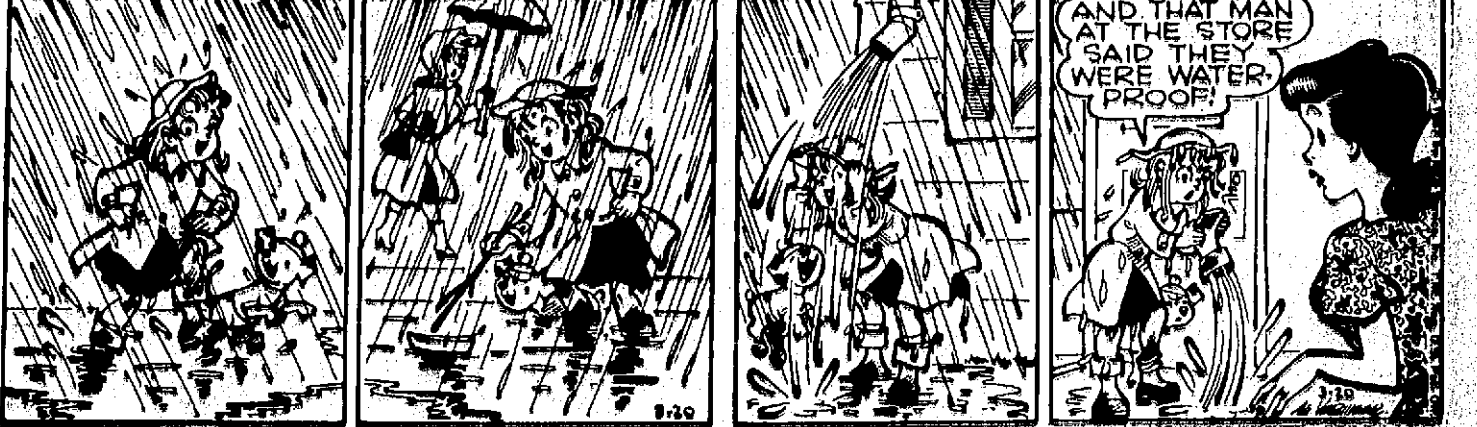
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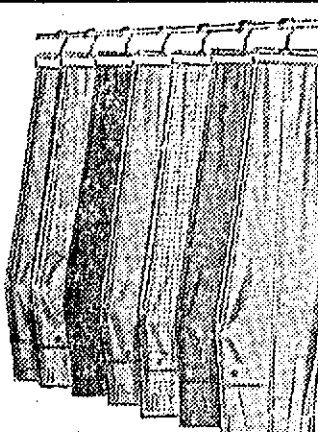
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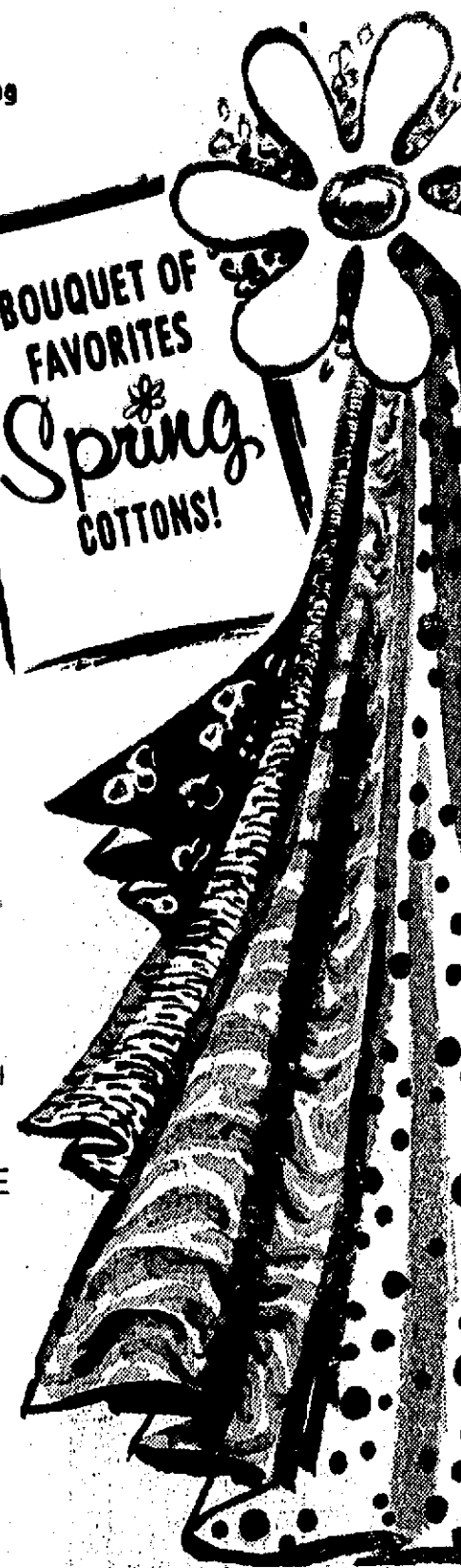
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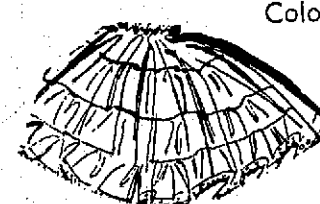
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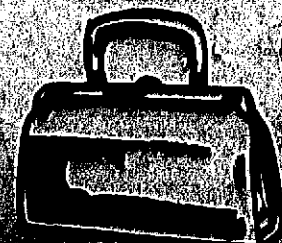
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